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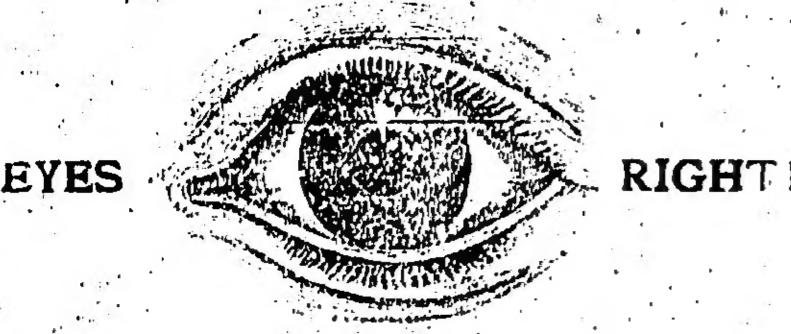
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Intimations.

SANITARY BOARD OFFICE

Hongkong. OWNERS OF DOMESTIC BUILDINGS.

TAKE NOTICE that under No. 5 of the DOMESTIC CLEANLINESS and VENTILATION BYE-LAWS (as amended), every Domestic Building or part of such Building within the CENTRAL Division of the City of Victoria, and the WESTERN Division of Kowloon, occupied by Members of more than one family, except those within the European Reservation or in Kowloon, South of Austin Road or those parts of a Domestic Building used as a Shop, Office or Godown, must be CLEANSED and LIMEWASHED THROUGHOUT by the owners during the months of December and January.

N.B .- The word "Throughout" used in this notice means that the Houses should be Limewashed in respect of all the Walls of each Room, all Cubicle Partitions, Stair Casings and Stair Linings, all Ceilings and the Undersides of Roofs in Main Buildings, Offices Servants' Quarters and inclusive of Verandahs.

The Backyard must "have its containing Walls Limewashed up to the level of the first

Carved, Painted or Polished Woodwork in good condition, however, need not be Lime-

washed, but must be Cleansed. The Central Division of the City lies between Gilman Street and Peel Street on the East and Tank Line and Cleverly Street on the West."

Kowloon is divided into the Eastern and Western Divisions by Nathan Road and a straight line drawn from the North and thereof through the Yaumati Service Reservoir to the Northern boundary of Kowloon. The Government Limewashing Contractor is prepared to Cleanse and Limewash Floors

at the rate of \$1.05 per floor on application being made to the Secretary of the Sanitary Board. W. BOWEN-ROWLANDS,

Dated this 4th day of January, 1910 . [113

DBAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY LIMITED.

TIMB TABLE.

WEEK DAYS. · W L. III. 1. 10 a.m. to 10,00 a.m. ... Every to minutes 0 00 a.m. to 11,00 a.m. ... Every 15 minutes 11.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. ... Every 15 minutes 12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. ... Bvery to minutes. 1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. ... Every 15 minutes 1.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. ... Every to minutes. 2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. ... Every 15 minutes.

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Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

A R. R. LEISSING baving left our employ ceases to Sign our Firm per Procura-

Mr. J. HELMERS is authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration from this date.

SIEMSSEN & CO. Canton, 15th January, 1910.

CHARGEURS REUNIS.

DY Mutual Agreement between the Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes and the Compagnie des Chargeurs, Réunis, the HUNGKONG AGENCY of the CHARGEURS REUNIS will, from the est January, 1910, transferred to Messrs. P. A. LAPICQUE -CO. (Queen's Building No. 4).

> CHARGEURS REUNIS, P. A. LAPICQUE & Co., Agents. MESSAGERIES MARITIMES, P. THOMAS,

Hongkong, 19th December, 1909.

Intimations.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER O COMMERCE.

NOTICE

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING L of the Members of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce will be held on MON-DAY, the 31st January, 1010, at 4 P.M., pre-cisely, in the CITY HALL for the following

(1) To receive the Report and Accounts of the Committee for the year ended 31st December, 1909.

(2) To elect a New Committee.

(1) l'o transact any general business.

Secretary. Hongkong, 24th January, 1910.

E. A. M. WILLIAMS,

NOTICE.

AR. LI HON FAN, a Chinese graduate versed in literature, has been a teacher to European officials and merchants in this Colony for over ten years.

He has a good method of training Europeans to pass in the Chicese examination, and is possessed of a first rate certificate as a Chineso teacher. 'He has also a good knowledge of Mandarin.

Those who intend learning the Chinese language are tequested to write care Hongkong, Telegraph office or direct to 37, Hollywood Road, and floor:

Hongkong, 3rd January, 1910.

FRENCH STORE.

NOTICE.

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Inspection invited. Hongkong, 12th January, 1910.

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THE REPTILES OF CHINA.

LECTURE BY DR. STANLEY.

The appouncement that Dr. Arthur Stanley would lecture on the Reptiles of China attracted a very large audience to the hall of the North China Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society in Museum Road last evening, says th N. C. D. News of 22nd inst. Sir Pelham Warren, K.C.M.G., President of the Branch, presided. He said that Dr. Stanlay, the Honor ary Curator of the Museum, had kindly undertaken to read a paper on a most interesting subject and one which he felt sure would afford his audience considerable information.

Dr. Stanley, in a few introductory re narks, pointed out that he desired to stimulate interest in the ocioty's museum. He first spoke of the connexion of snakes with the arts and literature, alluding to the dragon as a myth the origin of which it was difficult to trace although it bore a resemblance to that extinct reptile, the Pterodactyl; and to the dollar mark as the serpent entwined about the Pillar of Hercules. He defined reptiles as cold-blooded vertebrates, breathing by lungs throughout their existence, and having the body covered with scales and plates. It would appear, he mid, that most of the orders of raptiles were now extinct, being found fossilized only; but the recent reptiles were divided into the order of the crocodiles, the order of the tortoises and the order of the lizards and snakes. The order of the crocodiles was represented in Chinese alligator, which was the only non-American alligator and was first described by M. Fauve the "Journal" of the North China Branck the Royal Asiatic Society in 1879. Dr. Stanley drew attention to a very hoe specimen he had on the table. It was, he said, a most interesting species, rarely more than six feet in length, found in the river Yangtza and of which there were specimens in the Museum. It was not a very blood-thirsty beast like most of the other members of the order, only in the heat of summer it was inclined to bite if moflested, but it was never the first to attack. The Chinese alligator had been acclimatized in the Zoological Gardens in London and was considered quite a pet. It was interesting to note that there was an ancient picture of an alligator cut in stone on Silver Island, Chinkiang. The general features of tortoises and turtles, of which he showed some specimens from the Museum, were next described. Attention was drawn to the presence of the edible turtle on the China coast, the soft- turtle in the rivers, and the common Chinese pond tortoise found practically everywhere where there are pools of water.

Dr. Stanley proceeded to deal with scaled reptiles, and remarked that they had not many specimens of lizards, the most numerous of reptiles, in the Museum. He said that snakes might be defined as likards that had lost their legs. ' The common blind worm, however, was shown to be a legless lizard but, possessing both cyclids and external car openings, was a true lizard and not a snake, as the latter had no eyelids or external car openings. A distinctive feature of the snakes was their capacity for swallowing extremely large objects and to do this, the two halves of the lower jaw were connected by an elastic band capable of great stretching. The difference betwech a poisonous and a non-poisonous snake was mainly one of the teeth, poisonous spakes having poison fangs, either with a canal or grooved for the passage of the poison, which in the vipers were capable of erection,

A living specimen of a non-poisonous snake known as the Coluber Toingrus, commonly lound around Shanghai, was then exhibited, th lecturer demonstrating the delicate play of the spake's tongue and showing that it extended I without opening the mouth. He then produced a living specimen of the common poisonous snake of this part of China, the Ancistrodon Blomhoffii, and made it erect its poison fangs. The mouth and teeth of this snake were compared to those of the non-poisonous snake that had been shown carlier. Dr. Stanley thus exposed the fallacy of the belief that snakes stung with the tongue. The second snake having date they cannot be recognised. been returned to his jar, Dr. Stanley showed a fine clutch of serpent's eggs found near the Astor House Hotel and indicated the serpent to whom they belonged. The snakes in the Museum were then shown in the natural sequence of the general and in accordance with a systematic index of species of reptiles found in China that he had prepared. The lecturer pointed out a live snake of considerable length that had been sent to him recently and which

had been found near the Yangkingpang. Dr. Stanley gave a summary of the work of Cantor, Swinhoe, Anderson, David, Möllendorff, Fauvel, Gunther and Wall regarding the reptiles of China, wherein it was shown that two distinct fauore were indicated in the list of Chinese reptiles, one tropical in character, and the other showing the influence of the neighhourhood of the temperate region, the change from the tropical to the temperate fauna being very gradual; and that the reptiles of China were not distinguished by the presence of . Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel types strikingly different from those of the will be landed and stored at Consignees risk surrounding countries. Several species with and expense. an affinity to the North American or Japanese No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in fauna were, however, added to this mixture any case whatever.

of types of the Old World, " The lecturer concluded by saying that he hoped he had been able to stimulate an interest in the Museum and invited contributions of specimens from various parts of China so as to make the collection thoroughly representative of Chisese Natural history. He-was taking some specimens to the British Museum later, so that names might be given to them.

The President proposed a hearty vote of thanks to Dr. Stanley and this was carried by acclamation. Those who had not examined the specimens from the Museum prior to the lecture then did so.

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Houghoug, 17th December, 1909.

Public Company

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE THIRTEENTH ORDINARY AN-NUAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS in the Company will be held at the OFFICES of the Company, St. George's Building, No. 6, Connaught Road, on SATUR-DAY, 5th February, 1910, at 17.39 A.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending grat December, 1900, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED on MONDAY, the 31st anuary, motil SATURDAY, the 5th February, 1910, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co. General Managers.

Consignees.

Hongkong, 22nd January, voto

MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "PATHAN," FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained."

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th instant will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 22nd February, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 28th instant, at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & CO., LIMITED,

Agents. Hongkong, 22nd January, 1910.

> "BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "BENCLEUCH," FROM MIDDLE BRO, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being lander at their risk lute the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd. whence and/or, from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remain-Ing undelivered after the 29th inst., will be sub-Ject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-sented to the Undersigned on or before the of th prox., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th inst., at II A.M.

No Fire lusurance has been effected, Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hannkang, 24th January, 10to FROM EUROPE.

THE H. A. L. Steamsuip.

"SEGOVIA," Captain Sachs, having arrived, Consigned of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained against Bills-of-Lading countersigned by the Undersigned.

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All broken, chafed and damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns; where they will be examined on the 28th inst., at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in

any case whatever. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, Hongkong Office: Hongkong, 24th January 1910,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Steamship " KNIGHT OF THE THISTLE. FROM TACOMA, SEATTLE, VANCOU-VER, YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, Agents. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1910.

BANK LINE, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

STEAMSHIP "OCEANO," FROM TACOMA, VANCOUVER, YOKO-HAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel

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Halnen-Hol Nam Kal Geese-Ngo Geese, Wild Shanghal-Sheung Hol Ye Ngopalr Musk Door-Wong Kongeach

Partridge-Ohe Khoo Pheasant-Shan Kal.....pair St. Pigeons, Canton-Pak Kup each Holhow-Holhow Pak Kup ...

Haro-Tu Chal.....

Rice Birds-Wo Fa Cheukdozen Snipe-Sa Chul each Tarkeys, Cock-Fo Kai Kung ... per b Hen- n Na ... n

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Dace-Wong Mel Lun' Dog Fish-Tit To Sa Hels, Congor-Hal Man Yu Fresh water-Tam Sul Yu Yellow-Wong Sin......

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Lobsters-Lung Ha

Monk Fish-Mon Ya Mullet-Chal Yn :..... Parrotfish-Kal Kung Yu Pika-Fa Paw Poong

Plaice-Pan Ytt. Pomfret, Black-Hak Chong...... Pomfret, White-Pak Chong.......

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Skate-Po Yn Shrimps - Ha Snapper-Lap Yu..... Corrected soth January 1010, 200 cts. per 5 Mex Soles-Tat Sa Yu..... Touch-Wan Yu Turbot-Cho How Yu 1 20 Turtles, small, fresh water-Keck Yu.... White Balt-Ngan Yu Chal

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Chestnuts, Chinese-Foong Lut.....

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Celery, English-Young Kan Choi Calery, White-Pak Young Kan Choi... Chilles, Dried-Con Lat Chiu Red-Hang Fa , Green-Cheng Lat Chin Curry Stuff, English-Ka Lee Choi Liu Cucumbers-Chang Kwa Bitter Squash-Fu Kwa

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Water Chesnuts-Ma Tal Mandarin-Kwei Lum Ma Tai Musk Melon Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Kho Onlons, Bombay-Young Chung Tan ... " Green-Sang Chung..... Shai- Sheung Hol Chung Tau

Japan-Yat Poon Okrocs-Mo Ker Parsley, English-Young Un Sal Green Peas-Cheng Tap..... Potatoes, Sweet-Fan Shu Shanghal-Sheung Hoi Shu Taal

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W. BOWEN ROWLLINDS,

the beadmaster and a testimony to the

relations existing between the chief admini-

trator, his staff and his students, was the cordial

reference to the labours of the assistant master

and the frank acknowledgment of the value of

their services. Too often we find in going over

these reports that the headmaster assumes the

entire credit for the position attained by the

school-very often when to an outsider there

seems to be no credit whatever to be claim.

ed; and if there is any falling off in one

or other of the departments the fault lies

with the mute assistants who have to goash

their teeth in private while they hear

their characters being politely forn to tatters.

Of course, such turkey-cocks do not actually

blame their assistants for poor results, but they

hint this, that and the other thing, suggest that

the staff is incapable of overtaking the duties,

refer to the backward education of the

pupils when they joined the 'school, and drag

in everything except the truth which is goo-

eral y to be found in the headmaster's lack

of organisation and inability to frateroise with

his assistants. Quite obviously such is not the

case at the Ellis Kadootie School, for when we

find assistant masters giving up their time to

teach voluntary subjects and others condescend

ing to join the students on their own level with-

out losing their status or power to command

obedience, it may be taken for gra sted that the

personnel of the staff is beyond praise. Nine

years is but a span in the life of a school, but it

has proved long enough to fix the Ellis

Kadoorie school in the affections of a large

number of past and present pupils and to

establish it as one of the foremost educa-

tional institutions in the Colony. It was scarce-

ly necessary for the headmaster to declare that,

the standard had been raised to all the forms in

order to meet the requirements of the entrance

examination at the Hongkoog University, No-

thing less could have been expected of a school

-or college as Mr. Braidwood somewhat sen-

centiously calls it-of the standing of the Edit !

Kadoorie institution, for it is from such schools

that the best material for the top-dressing

which a university can give is naturally drawn.

To hegin with it embedies one of the first

principles of the Hongkong University idea-

it is non-sectatian, and it does not boggle over

a boy's pedigree. All that is required is the

mental ability on the part of the student to ap-

prehend and utilise the education imparted,

and as the foundation is likely to have been well

and truly laid at the secondary school the pros-

pecis of the student at the University are cor-

respondingly bright. Mr. Braidwood indicated

that the college would be ma position "to con-

tribute its quota of candidates to the first ex-

amination of the Hongkong University, which

examination we are informed will be held

about September next year," In this connec-

tion the Director of Education is reported to

have said that the University would shorely !

ready for occupation but not so shortly as Mr.

Braidwood anticipated. If that cautious re-

mark means anything it means that the Uni-

versity will not be open by the end of 1911,45

His Excellency the Governor had led us if

believe in his speeches delivered at the end of

last year. For if the entrance examinations

are not held about September it is diffi-

cult to see how the successful candidates

and yet we distinctly remember reading His

Excellency's speech at St. Stephen's College

in which he expressly stated that 'he hoped

the University would be open two years

hence. Either His Excellency was a uific

"too previous" or events have occurred since

the penultimate week of last year which will

have the effect of delaying the University

scheme. It would certainly be well to know

whether the Director of Education was speak-

ing by the book when he sought to banish the

idea that the classes at the University, would

be in full working order by the end of Decem-

but it is a matter of public interest, especially

to those who have been responsible for the

initial success of the scheme. Turning to

another point in the report, we observe that the

Scot peeps out in the bold and unabashed

demand for money to complete the school

edifice and so remove the incongruities which

the headmaster perceives in the structure.

l'erbaps it is just as well to be blunt and

We should not be at all surprised to learn Thora can be no doubt that all these advantages.

that the beadmaster's straight talking hit the will be thoroughly availed of by our American

a definite response. So long as the Ellis that the main benefit to be derived from the

Kadoorie School is conducted on the present construction of the Panama Canal, will fall

lines its success is assured and it will continue to the Rastern States of America and Aus-

to sitract a larger and growing number of those tralia. So far as we can make out, Australia



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At The Bluff, The Peak, Hongkong, on the 26th instant, killen Maria, the loving wife of Lawrence Gibbs,

(hie Dougkong Gelegraph

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1910.

ELLIS KADOORIE SCHOOL

annual report submitted by the headmaster of the Ellis Kadooris School at the prize-giving function yesterday. It is plain to the commonest searcher after the truth that there real health and vitality in the college, that masters and pupils work together in complete harmony towards the advancement of education and the lustre of the school. We have always held-it as an axiom that the best way to get the last ounce of stern endeavour out of school Boys is to imbue them with a proper pride in their school, their teachers and in themselves, and Mr. W. D. Braidwood, the headmaster, seems to follow that principle to the very letter. One point which we noted as an excellent characteristic

LOOKING AHBAD. Five years hence, according to the chie engineer in charge of the construction works, the Panama Canal will be open for through traffic. Naturally the shipping world is begin ning to study very seriously the probable effects which will flow from the piercing of the waterway, particularly with respect to the competition between Europe and America in the trade with the Far East, The round statement made by a Hamburg paper that shipowners is the eastern hemisphere will enjoy no special benefits by the opening of the Canal, and the still stronger belief is current that it may handicap the commercial relations which have been established between European experters and Chinese importers. The importance of China as a market for the distribution of European goods is better understood at the present time than ever it was and there is every sight that within the next law years the possibilities of the Middle Kingdom as a buyer of western articles will increase a hundredfold. The object is then, to get a finger in the pie, to establish a connection, to build up a solid trade, to be recognised as the firm par excellence for a certain class of goods before new competitors enter by way of the Panama Canal. in Europe as the outcome of sage reflection on the subject, it is realised that the notion that every new or improved line of traffic must perforce be a benefit to commerce in general does not hold good with reference to the European shipping trade. A material curtailment of distances must naturally reduce the demand for tonnage, because the voyages will be shorter. It is only when the quantity of merchandise to be moved over shorter distances increases in the same or a greater proportion that the disadvantage to the ship. ping trade can be counterbalanced or changed to an advantage. That is what happened in the case of the Sucz Canal despite the gloomy predictions of pessimists, the case as regards the Panama Canal however, is not the same, says our Germio contemporary, although it will bring about a much greater curtailment of distances than did the cutting between the Mediterranean and the Red sea. Beyond the Suez Canal lie the most populous countries in the world, for instance-India and China-countries which nature has endowed with great fertility and fruitfulness, and which, consequently, are able to buy and absorb large quantities of European products; and the Sunda islands, Japan and Australia, might very well be placed in the same category as India and China. In fact, merchandise, passengers and mail matter are seeking opportunities for conveyance to and from the Far East in constantly increasing numbers and quantities; the surface of the globe at the other end of the Suez Canal, countries possess well developed coast lines, the seas are full of importantislands. Trade gravit. ates in a most pronounced degree towards the Atlantic oceas. The exporting capabilities of Western America are, in fact, very limited. As regards bulk cargoes, only saltpetre from Chile and grain from North America come into question, and of these two commodities the first will probably continue to take its course round Cape Horn, unless especially low canal rates are charged for it; on the other hand, the new waterway may probably be preferred for grain cargoes from San Francisco and Oregon. As regards the United States of shown greater activity in his efforts towards America, however, the case is very different. At present shipments from the United States he sent expectant Magistrate. Tang Tsu Mow ports to the East have to be sent via as a special official to make an inspection the Suez Canal, because the route round of all the districts in the province of Kwangtung Cape Horn is very much the longest; but with instructions to seal up any opium smoking the future Panama short cut will be close at | den that may be found open and doing business. hand. The distance from New York to Ban Expectant Magistrate Tang is also instructed Francisco via Cape Pom is 14,840 sea miles; I to inquire if the opium merchants in the disthrough the Panama canal it will only be 5,300 tricts have all applied for the necessary licences miles; from North Europe (say from Hamburg) from the local officials, and to ascertain how ber next year. That is by the way of course, the distance works out at 15,140 and 8,488 sea many such licensed opium firms there are in tics in the Senior Division which has rarely, miles respectively, and the new waterways will each district at present, whether their numbers effect a saving of 1,820 miles as against the have shown any decrease as compared with Sucz Capal route on the voyage from New York | those of last year. He is also to find out the to Hongkong. At present the distance from quantity of prepared opjum sold daily by each New York to Hongkong via the Suez Canal is of the licensed opium merchants; and also the 11,655 sea miles, or 1,113 miles longer than that number of opium smokers in each district as from Hamburg, but via the Panama canal the well as to see whether the opium smokers have distance from New York will only be 9,835 obeyed the opium smoking prohibition regulamiler, or 1,707 less than that from Hamburg, tions by registering themselves and applying biusque when the question at issue involves. Melbourne, too, will be nearly 2,000 sen for the wooden board licences. Commissinoer a-matter of dellars; and certainly Mr. Braid- miles mearer New York than Hamburg, wood did not beat about the bush. He directly while the distance from the two last named We like the strong, sturdy tone of the called up in the "wealthy Chinese friends" of ports is now nearly the same, namely, 12,367 the school to put their hands in their pockets; from Hamburg and 12,050 from New York, fill the hiatus apparent in a structure which while in future the distance from New York consists of two wings without a body, "and will be reduced to 10,417. From Hamburg to so complete the edifice in a manner worthy of Yokohama, again, the distance will remain at the great community in whose interests it was 13,530 sea miles, while from New York it will inaugurated and for the benefit of whose sons be reduced to 9,385, which is an advantage in the work within its walls is carried on." favour of New York to the extent of 2,700 miles.

to their opportunities. If they do not take action now to establish a commercial bond with China, then they need not try it when the Canal is wide open. For our part, we think that Australia wants to be well and thoroughly shaken up to a realisation of her position. If her leaders would devote i little less time to their warlike ambitions and if the labour men would give a thought to the commercial future of the country there might be some chance of Australia taking her rightful position in the affairs of the world, but as it is she is too busy mending the parish pump and jeeriog at Japan and China. "Wake up, Australia" would be a better motto at present than "Flourish Australia," As far as we in Hongkong are concerned we have only to sit tight and wai for the bounties of providence to come along Other ports may compate for a share in the ad d tional traffic which will find its way to the Orient when the Panama Canal is opened, but if we keep our heads and gang warily we are bound to win out in the long run and dely al comers from Shaughai to Haiplong to wrest from us our supramacy as the distributing

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

centre for South Chipa.

COMMODORE Lyon went on a visit to Cantor on Wednesday last and returned to the Colony yesterday.

His Excellency the Governor will preside 'a the prize distribution at Queen's College on Wednesday next, and prox., at noon.

A MIDDLE-ACED Chinese woman was this morning fined \$500 or three months' imprisonment for having in her possession 190 taels of opium dross. The defendant went to gazl.

THE State Fire Insurance Co. is sending out useful office diary and aluminum match box. The Company insures against fire, burglary and accident, and is represented in Hongkong by Messrs. W. G. Humphreys & Co.

THE Superioress of the Italian Convent will be grateful to the kind ladies of Hongkong for the gift-of-any-cast-off-woollen clothing, shoes, blankets and any other warm material that could be made into covering for the hundreds of orphan children and destitutes dependent upon the charity of the people, particularly in the stress of winter. The Superioress hopes her appeal on behalf of the poor will be generously received by the kindly disposed members of the community.

THE wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the Roman Catholic Cathedral, of Mr. Augustine Leung Hing-kee, third son of Mr. Pedro Lenng Hing-kee, late proprietor of the Macao Hotel, and the present proprietor of the Macao Ico Depút, and Miss Louise Mable Line. There was a large congregation of friends at the Cathedral to witness the ceremony, which too, is of many shapes and forms and the was conducted by the Right Rev. Bishop D. Pozzoni. After the marriage, the happy couple left in chairs for the bridegroom's residence, 69, Caine Road, where their numerous friends were entertained at a cake and wine banquet. Machado's String Band played selections of music during the afternoon,

OPIUM IN KWANGTUNG.

INVESTIGATING COMMISSI NER APPOINTEI

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Canton, 25th January. Recoully-H.E. Viceroy. Yoan Shu Haun has the suppression of opium smoking. Yesterday Tang is expected to complete h a investigation within a period of three months. In addition to the commission entrusted to this official, the Viceroy has ordered the magistrates of every district to open anti-opium asylums to provide medical treatment to the opium smokers in order to assist them to get rid of the avil habit.

During the last three weeks the Canton Government Anti-Opium Bureau has sent no less than four thousand three bundred and thirty wooden board opium licences, being Awice, the size of those issued last year, for dismark, and that his appeal has already met with consins. From that statement it is apparent. Fatshan. tribution to the opium smokers in the town of

LICENCES RENEWAL.

OPIUM SHOP CLOSED. An opium shop under the style of Shun Loi has been discovered by the officers of the

Government Anti-Opium Bureau selling prethought, They are blind, deal and dumb ordered to be closed,

ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE.

SPEECH DAY.

The annual prize distribution to the students of St. Stephen's College took place in the Laf Kwai Pui Hall of the College this afternoon The Rr. Rev. the Lord Bishop of Victoria presided and was supported on the dais by the Rev. E. J. Barne t, Warden of the College, Rev. F. T. Johnson, Dr. Ho Kai, M.B., C. M. C. Messts, S. W. Tso and Chan Sin Ki.

The proceedings were spened with prayer after which the Chairman said that before asking the Warden to read his report, he had the pleasure of introducing him in a new capacity. Honours had been falling fast and thick upon him and he felt sure that they were fully deserved. Some weeks ago, the Warden kindly consented to act as one of his examining chaplains and last week, he received a notification from London appointing him to succeed Dr. Bankter in the Archdeacoury of Hongkong. The Warden was proceeding on a well-earned holiday that night and when he returned, the usual function would be held at St. John's Cathedral, whereby he would be duly installed,

The Warden in replying to the remarks which had fallen from the Chairman said that i was not an easy matter for a man with any feeling not to be moved on an occasion like that. During the last week or two, he had been asked many times if Archdeacon Banister was coming back and he felt certain that everybody would be glad to note that the Archdeacon would remain with the scholars for many more years to come. He quite realized his added responsibilities but he trusted in the strength of God to maintain the dignity which was attrched to the office.

THE WARDEN'S REPORT. Rev. E. J. Barnett, the Warden, said :- My Lord Bishop, Ladies and Gentlemen,-The seventh year of the existence of St. Stephen's College has been marked by several special features.

Chief among the visible evidences of advance is this hall in which we meet-the Lai Kwai Pui Hall, an named after the donor of \$5,000, whose name heads the list of subscriptions to the Building Fund. On 8th January, 1909, His Excellency Sir, Frederick Lugard, K.C.M.C., laid the foundation stone of

the extension of the College, The building was passed by the Government in November and on 20th December last, under the chairmanship of the Right Rev. the Bishop of Victoria and in the presence of the Right Rev Bishop Ingham, Central Secretary of the Church Missionary Society, and others, His Excellency the Governor declared this building opened for educational purposes. On that occasion opportunity was afforded to refer to the advantages accruing from the handsome gift of a thirry-thousand dollar building. These benefits, it is not now necessary to repen except so far as to record formally the appreciation and gratitude of the C.M.S. authorities, the College Council and the teaching staff to those parents, guardians and s'udents of the College who have thus pobly contributed to the cause of modern and, sund education in the Far East.

Attached to the south side of the towers at the entrance is an additional building, known as the Rutherloord Hall, the gift of a generous lady in England as a memorial to her departed parents. This hall is of the utmost service for various kinds of meetings among the students and is greatly appreciated by them. This same lady has also provided the furniture for her hall,

The erection of the Rutherf ord Hall suggested the addition of a physical laboratory above it. This has been well carried out, and a Home gift of £ 100 has provided furnishing. Many friends in England have, likewise given for the strengthening of our work, and amongst other things I have received an up-to-date in all (without slides) nearly £40. With such encouragements from our friend ; both Chineso and English, we have no excuse for not putting and sure development of St, Stephen's College.

Further encouragement has come to us from another quarter. The Oxford results of 1909 have exceeded all that has gone bafore. The College passed soo per cent of candidates For the first time physics was, presented, the section chosen being electricity and magnetism. All the candidates recommended passed this subject, namely, three is the Senior and four in the Junior. Another outstanding feaif ever, been successfully presented by Chinese candidates before. Here again three candidates satisfied the examiners. For the first time Chinese language and literature was included in the list of subjects. Seven distinctions were gained by Hougkong candidates. Of these, five fell to St. Stephen's College, and another to our sister institution St. Stephen's Girls! College. The Oxford authorities arranged for an ex amination in connection with the Locals which would exempt from Responsions. - We gratulate Fung Man Spi on being one of the first two Chinese students to win in the East the right to matriculate in the Oxford University without further examination. In the Innior section, Chau Tsun Nin deserres special mention for baying obtained Honours while passing in nine subjects including English composition and distinction in Chinese, Summatized, the results stand thus;-19 candidates passed, four of these in the Preliminary Section, six in the Junior (one with Hopours and Distinction in Chinese), and nine in the Senior, Right gained the degree of Associate of Arter four being awarded Distinction in Classical Chinese and one obtaining exemption from Responsions. All recommended candidates passed in arithmetic, Religions knowledge. history, higher mathematics, and electricity and magnetism.

The third special feature of the year now pupils who will bring kudos and credit to the does not seem to be giving the matter a the offence being proved the establishment was consisting of five Chinese and three European sombore, samely in The Hos. Dr. Ho. Kal. laterrity in all their dealings.

C.M.G., The Hon. Mr. Wei Yok, C M.G., Lai Kwal Pul, Mr. Chan Siu Kland Mr. S. W. Ta'or Mr. H. C. Harris, Commissioner of the Imperial Chinese Customs the Rev. H.O Spink, and the Warden as chairman ex a fficio. The Cullege Council would take this apportunity of welcoming these gentlemen into office and at the same time of expressing the confident hope that they will most loyally and efficiently assist in the development of St. Stephen's College along the lines upon which it has been so firmly established.

Our final examinations, upon which prices have been awarded, reveal steady progress in each form. There are individual exceptions to this rule, but year by year it is becoming more difficult for students to secure promotion to a higher form when they have had "very important business in Canton " just before the examination takes place.

There is always an exciting but good-natured. contest for the Dax-the blue ribbon of the College-with a gold medal attached. After a sharp contest in eight groups, Leung Nai Hang stands first with Chau Tsun Nin and Wei Wing Lock following close behind.

. The Wel On Scholarship is divided between the candidate who passes best at the Oxford Senior Examination and the one who obtains the highest marks in the College final exmination in English language and literature, correspondence, bookkeeping, geography, arithmetic and Chinese. There is a rule which precludes any one student from carrying of the Scholarship twice. Under this rule, Fung Man Sul. Chan Ying Wing and See Chong Shu are exten cluded. The awards this year, therefore, are made to Leung Nai Hang and to Chan Tsun

Two innovations for the coming year should be appounced:

1. That an Entrance Examination will b held on Saturday, 26th February, at 9 a.m. Applicants for entrance to the College must attend this examination, also any of those students whose names bave through continued absence, gone off the books and wish to re-

2. We are expecting to arrange for the teaching of Mandarin after re-opening.

It has often been my pleasure to refer not only to the excellent work of the teaching staff. but also to their unflagging interest in all that, makes for the best interests of the College. Some do higher work, some lower, but all alike contribute to such successes as he have enjoyed, this year. No better justification for my words" of appreciation can be offered than that which has been said above concerning the unparallelled results of last year's work.

I am sure the older members of the staff and the boys will gladly unite with me in expressing appreciation of the assistance rendered by Mr. Hewitt in this his first year among us. We shall also all be glad at the beginning of the next year to welcome back Mr. Mackenzie after his furlcugh. Before sitting down I would : ask to be allowed to thank most sincerely by the parents and guardians who have again ... more liberally than ever replenished our prize fund. Ti e names of these gentlemen are the it Lai Kwai Pui, Wong Fa Nung, Chau Siu Ki, a w. Lo Siu Lau, Ip. Wa Kwan, Kwok Yik Ting, 17 Wong Kin Cho, Chan Kang Ue, Chan Chika Ue, Un Lai Chuen; Ng Pak To, Cheng Wo tiair .-Hie, Wong Pui Cho, Yong Yik Ting, Ng Hon Chi, Fung Chun Yuen, Ho Kai, S. W. 1s'o, Chan Chenk Fan, Tang Chitte Ngong, Chiu Sheung Sang, Chan Kam Wing, A Com Leung Yan Po, Leung Hiu Cho, Leu Po Chung de age Wei Yok, Lo Lai Chuen, Yung Cho Pong, Ng Mok Shi, Wong Sui Tong, Chan Sui Lam, Cheung Sam Woo, Wang Hing, Chan Cheuk Nam, Cheung Heog Tin, Fok Lai Ming, Chua. Lai Chai, Woog Wing Chin, Luk King Fo. Mok Ying Chow, Lei Chenk San, Chin Chung Hau, and Ng Kai Tung.

It is gratifying to know that 'old boys' are maintaioing the prestige of their College abroad, particularly in England and America. demonstration antern from Newton's, costing It is proposed to take stops for the formation of an Old Boys' Association next year.

The number of names appearing on the Roll for 1909 is 167 as against 125 last year. our very best heart and energies into the steady. The number of boorders, owing to lack accommodation, of has been few-pever at one time reaching 20. The new wing has, however, remedied this defect. It is only fair to the studen's to add that they have by their keeppess and general demeanous encouraged their masters to put forth their best efforts on their behalf. The exceptions to this statement are but few. More particularly are we gratified at the efforts they themselves are making to uphold the reputation of the College not only for sound learning and progress but for the cultivation of character upon the basis of morality and purity.

The College will re-assemble on Tuesday. March 1st. Meanwhile, I wish you all a bright and prosperous New Year.

The Chairman, in rising, said that he gladly availed himself of the opportunity of saying a few words before distributing the prizes. Habit? had received a letter from Hisi Excellency etian the Governor couched in appreciative language guage in which he expressed his inability to attend the function. There were so many Still another innovation was brought in last July. prize distributions at this time of the year that it was impossible for His Excellency to attend all of them. His Excellency had already attended twice last year and he hoped to be present next year. The speaker went on to say that the College had attained a worlds wide reputation. He had recently seen an seticle by Mr. Morton, of Oxford University, on the subject of education in the East and he was particularly interested to notice that St. Stephen's College was spoken of as an institution which was doing premier work. His Lordship referred to the work of the staff and said that their achievement was magnificent. The result of the 100 per cent, efficiency was indeed wonderful and the result could naver have been obtained without very great pains. The staff was working notomerely to instruct but also to inspire the pupils; mot moraly to ze teach them what they did not know but make their, influence falt in after life. The pupils were, after all, the most important persons in that College. They were more important than no T the Council, the masters and the buildings. The buildings were their own buildings. Every pation a needed men of fotegrity of charactor, who were proved through and through and who put the national welfare before their personal interests, and he knew that St. Stephen's College was endeavouring to turn out that type of man, the conclusion, his Lordably exhorted the boys to maintain An unswervirg

Telegrams.

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OPIUM IN CIIINA.

ENGLAND'S SHARE OF THE BARGAIN.

By courtery of the " Sheung Po."]

Peking, 25th January.

The Waiwupu has notified the Mimistry of Finance to the effect; that, according to communications received from the British Minister, Sir John Jordan, the exportation of opium to MR. C. J. LAFRENTZ. China from India for last year was 56,800 chests, being 5,600 chests less than the quantity for the year before

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INQUIRY SUGGESTED:

[By courtery of the " Sheung Po."]

Peking, 25th January. The Ministry of Posts and Communications has memorialized that a deputy should be appointed to investigate the accounts of the China Merchanta' team Navigation Co "

> MINISTRY OF WAR: NEW APPOINTMENT.

[By courtery of the" Sheung Po."]

Peking, 25th January.

It is proposed by the Central Government to appoint Yam Cheung as president of the Ministry of War in succession to Tieh Liang and to appoint Tang Shao-yi as Minister to Germany.

H. M. S. MONMOUTH!

RETURNING TO HONGKONG

News was received in the Colony by wireless, yesterday morning, to the effect that something had gone wrong with the rudder of H. M. S. Monmouf + and that she would, in consequence. return to Hongkong to be drydocked and have her steering gear made good again. The cruiser is expected back in port on Friday morning.

The Monmouth, with the paying-off penant, left Hoogkoog on the 17th inst. for a short visit to Saigon whence the was to proceed to Manila to take part in the Carnival commencipg on the 5th inst. Leaving Manila she was to continue her southward voyage to Sing pore and Colombo, being acheduled to reach the latter port in the first week of. March, and where she was to take on her new crew and return to this station.

POLUNIERR CORPS ORDER.

DRILLS AT HEADQUARTERS AT 5.30 PM.

Monday, Jan. 31st, Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, and Friday, Feb. 4th .- Maxim gun drill. Instructor: and and 4th Feb., Sergt. Carman, R.G.A. Instructor: 3 it Jan. Sergt. Moore,

At Quarry Bay at 5.15 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 3rd, Maxim guo drill. Instructor: Sergt Moore, R.G.A.

CASCOIGNE SHIELD COMPETITION.

Artillery and Infantry Units at Tai Hang near 600 yards firing point at 2.30 p.m. on Saturday, the 5th February. Dress :-- Khaki and putties, Service dress cap, rifle, sidearms and two ro-round pouches.

BLAKE SHIELD COMPETITION. The following is the result of the Blake Shield Competition held at King's Park Range

on Saturday, the 22nd instant. No. 2 Coy. 6'4 No. 3 Coy. 4th. Infantry Coy. 502 No. 1 Coy. 5th. No. 4 Coy. 540 Engineer Coy. 6th.

MUSKETRY AT KING'S PARK RANGE. Sunday, January 30th, 9 n.m. All artillery units. An p.m. Rogineer and Infantry Coys. Sunday, February 6th, 2 p.m. All units.

CORPS CHAMPIONSHIP. The Corps Championship was won by Lieut. I. I. Andrew with a score of 87; second, and Corpl. Haines, 86; and third, Lc-Cpl. Stewart

6 p.m. at West Fort for technical instructions.

Mr. R.S. Vergette joined the Corps on the 24th instant, assigned Corps No. 1,115 and

posted to the Engineer Coy. RESIGNED.

Sergt. A. F. Warrack of No. 5 Coy is pereffect from the 22nd instant.

Gunner W. Read of Nn. 2 Coy is permitted to resign with effect from the 22nd instant.

PRONOTION. with effect from 1st January, 1910.

Corpl. V. Sorby to Sergt. vice Sergt. Lochead, resigned. Bombr. C. E. Frith to Corpl vice Sorby pro-

moted. Notice : - Notified that a Smoking Concert picking and shot-drill to forcibly remind him will be held at. Headquarters on Saturday, 12th of the dangers which beset the path of the evil Lopiently of & bran

TRB LICENSING BOAKD.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS.

The election took place at the Land Office, Supreme Court, to-day, of three Justices of the Peace, to serve on the Licensing Board constituted under the new Liquors Ordinance: Polling commenced at II a.m. and continued until 1 p.m. Mr. E. R. Hallifax (First Magistrate) was the presiding officer, and Mr. G. A. Wood cock and Mr. Arthur Chapman acted as scruti

Following is a list of candidates with the names of their proposers and seconders:-N R. A. SHELTON HOOPER.

Proposed by Hon, Mr. W. J. Gresson Seconded by Mr. J. M. R. Smith,

MR. T. F. HOUGH. Proposed by Sir Paul Chater. Seconded by

Mr. H. N. Mody. Proposed by Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewett: Secon-

ded by Mr. H. P. White. MR. D. W. CRADDOCK.

Proposed by Mr. E. Ormiston. Seconded by . r. D. R. Law.

Mr. G. Balloch, proposed by Mr. B. Layton and seconded by Mr. J. Y. V. Vernon, also sub mitted his candidature, but withdrew it before the election.

JUSTICES ELECTED. As a result of the polling to-day, the following three Justices were elected to serve on the

Board, viz : -Mr. T. F. Hough, 63 votes. Mr. A. Shelton Hoop, r, 54 votes, Mr. C. J. Lafrantz, 27 votes.

SCOICH CONCERI.

BURNS' NICHT AT THE THEATRE ROYAL.

No more fitting manner could have been chosen to celebrate the anniversary of the birth of "Bobbie" Burns, dear to the hearts of Scotsmen, than the delightful musical evening which was spent at the Theatre Royal last night. The large attendance was doubtless due to the favourable weather and must have been, particularly gruifying to our Scotch friends. H.E. the Governor and a party from Government House were present throughout the whole of the concert, and on the whole the concert fully demonstrated the patriotic motives which led to the entertainment being arranged by the Hongkong St. Andrew's Society.

The concert opened with Godfrey's " Reminiscences of Scotland "by the Band of the Buffs, the selection being played in the same masterly style which Hongkong music-1 vers have come to expect from the excellent combigation under the baton of Bandmaster Hewitts Next followed the song. " Willie's Gane to Melville Castle" by Mr. G. Balloch, which was given in fine voice. Mr. F. C Barlow appeared in a violin solo " Benedictus," which was well received. Those stirring lines of Sir Walter Scott known as "Mac-Gregor's Guthering " were then interpreted in an excellent manner by Mr. J. D. Auld, who' had to respond to an encore. Mr. Sutherland next appeared in the comic number "Our Christmas Goose" and caused roars of laughter by his irresistible manuerisms. The audience would not cry content until Mr. Sutherland appeared in another comic item. Mrs. A. G. Gordon sang "Auld Robin Gray" in a pleasing style and was justly applauded and had to re-appear owing to the popular demands for an encore. "I'm Fu' th' Noo" by Mr. Divid Keating brought down the house and when that gentleman responded to an encore in Highland costume, the stalls simply became uproarious. Mr. Keating is undoebtedly a worthy follower of Harry Lauder,

A selection by the Band of the Buffs brought the first part of the programme to a close. The second interval opened with the selection " Scotland's 'Pride" by the Band Mr Auld's. "Cam' ye by Athole was sendered in excellent voice and the singer was encored, which was responded to. Mrs. A G. Gordon sang "My Ain Folk", with deep pathos and was vociferously cheered and had to re-appear. "Leezie Lindsay" by Mr. G Balloch was appreciated and encored. Mr. Keating then made his second appearance during the evening in the song "I Love a Lassie" and was wat mly applauded. Mr. Keating ob-· liged with an encore . The stirring strains of "Auld Lang Syne" having been sung by Mr. G. Balloch, in which the audience joined, the playing of the National. Anthem brought the

A feature of the concert was a Highland Fling by Miss Ella Rowe, cleverly executed, for which she received a floral tribute and had to respond to an encore.

concert to a close.

AN INDETERATE THISE.

TRIED TO COMMIT BURGLARY IN BROAD

Now that the approach of China New Year is with us, the thieving fraternity of the Colony are using their misdirected activities with great energy. The other day, the Police had the pleasure of meeting that remarkable type of individual who is ever anxious to bring about Rogineer Co .- Wednesday, February 2nd, at his own-downfall. To cut the story short, would appear that on the 24th instant, Road, Tsim-tsa-tsui, he was surprised to see ber. a stranger trying to open the door of his mitted to resign on leaving the Colony with presence, he quickly made tracks for the near- ted. est guardian of the peace and as the thief was across his shoulder, he was gently received in views of the Banks thereon. the arms of a burly policeman. At the Magis-The following promotions will take place tracy, this morning, Sergeant Wills told his Worship that there were no less than nine previous convictions against the defendant, who will have very little to do with the world outside the prison gates for the next three months

and will have a sufficient amount of oakum-

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

ANNUAL REPORT.

The report of the General Committee of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, for the year ending 31st December, 1909, for presentation to the members at the annual meet ing, to be held in the City Hall, on Monday 31st inst.; at 4 p.m., is as follows:-

Several questions of interest have engaged the attention of your committee during the past year.

UNITED STATES MONETARY COMMISSION. It has, unfortunately, been found impossible

to send a representative to Washington to give evidence before the United States Monetary Commission.

ENCOURAGEMENT OF INDIAN IMMIGRATION

To the question of the Government as to whether the Chamber considered any opening existed for Indian labour, indentured or unindenturedy and whether Indian immigration should be encouraged by passage facilities and grants of land, the committee replied that, in their opinion, the market requirements were a present amply met by the supply of native labour.

REVISION OF THE CUSTOMS TARIFF OF JAPAN A committee of foreign residents in lapan farmed under the auspices of the Yokohama Foreign Board of Trade for the purpose watching occidental trade interests in connection with the Custom Tariff of Japan upon the expiry of the present Treaties in August, 1911, requested the views and suggestion of the Chamber regarding any change in the Tariff.

It was considered that this was a matter for the individual rather than for the members of the Chamber as a body, and a circular was therefore addressed to each member-the committee offering to place any suggestions received before the International Tariff Revision Committee.

FIRST NATIONAL CONSERVAT ON CONGRESS OF THE U.S A.

An invitation for a Special Delegate from the Chamber to attend the above Congress un fortunately arrived too late to be seriously con-

QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED AGAINST HONGKONG.

Your committee protested against what appeated to them to be the unnecessary and vexatious quarantine restrictions in some cases imposed by Singapore and Shanghai on vessels arriving from Hongkoog, with the result that His Excellency the Governor made representations to these ports on the subject.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPH INSTALLATION FOR

The Chamber's support was requested to scheme by an American Company for the establishment of a commercial wireless telegraph station in the Colony.

The matter is still receiving the attention of the committee. CONTINUOUS CERTIFICATES OF DISCHARGE

TO CHINESE SEAMEN. A proposal by the Harbour Master that con-

tinuous certificates of discharge should be ssued to Chinese seamen was opposed by the Chamber and eventually allowed to drop. INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE 26TH

SEPTEMBER, 1906. The committee upon baving the matter referred to them, were not in favour of the

Colony's adherence to the above Convention. REORGANIZATION OF THE FINANCES OF THE CHINESE EMPIRE,

The views of the Chamber on a scheme framed by the Board of Finance for reorganis- ket. ing the finances of the Chinese Empire were

requested by Government. The committee replied that the scheme was too far reaching for them to proffer an exhaustive criticism but expressed the Chamber's sympathy toward any prosposals calculated to confer benefit upon the people of China.

LIGHT ON KAPSING ISLAND.

A petition to the Harbour Master by masters of river and coasting steamers for the erection of lights on Kapsing Island and on Tong Ku Island or Boulder Point received the support of the Chamber and was sympathetically received and considered by Government.

THE BLOWING OF STEAM WHISTLES, IN THE

The committee's attention was drawn to the 21st regulation of Table "M" of the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, No. 10 of 1899, which Messrs. Deacon, Looker and Deacon consider-

ed to be vexatious to masters of vessels, The committee, after obtaining the views of masters, considered that it was in the best interests of safe navigation that the regulation referred to be amended.

Covernment was approached accordingly it free of charge. and the objectionable regulation was promptly amended by His Excellency the Governor.

GOVERNMENT NOTE 185UR. The Government's proposal to issue notes while a penceful citizen of Kowloon was on the lines of the system adopted by the returning to his house at No. 8, Canton | Straits Government was referred to the Cham-

After correspondence had passed between house with some keys which evidently belonged | the Government and the Chamber a draft Bill to the man. As the former did not wish entitled an "Ordinance to provide for the issue to see his dwelling burglarised in his own of Government Paper Currency" was submit-

This Ordinance is at present being considerleaving the bouse with his ill-gotten gains slung | ed by your committee who are obtaining the

LIMITED PARTHERSHIPS BILL.

A draft Bill entitled an Ordinance to establish Limited Partnerships was submitted to the Committee who have expressed a desire to consider the views of the Hongkong Law Society thereon,

members of the Chamber and was very care. Messre, P. B. Petit & Co. and Messre, Tata

fully considered, together with suggested amendments by the Law Society and a memorandum by the Crown Solicitor, by your committee who saw nothing objectionable therein, CONGRESS AND EXHIBITION AT

SOURABAYA, 1911.

The programme of the Congress and Exhibition in connection with the cultivation and preparation of fibres was courteously forwarded to the Chamber by the Consul-General for the Netherlands.

Your committee considered it unlikely that any local firms would participate in the exhibition as the industry concerned did not at present interest the Colony...

NEW FRENCH CUSTOMS TARIFF.

in raply to the query of the Colonial Secretary the committee did not, consider that commercial interests in the Colony were likely to be adversely affected by the tariff.

POSIPONEMENT OF THE KING'S BIRTHDAY . CELEBRATIONS.

Your committee protested against the sudden change of programme in connection with the birthday celebrations which caused it much inconvenience to the mercantile community.

A copy of the Chamber's letter has been forwarded to the Secretary of State for the Colonies by His Excellency the Governor.

ATTEMPTED OPIUM MONOPOLY AT CANTON. Considerable correspondence has passed between the Chamber, the Government and Sir John Jordan with reference to the attempt on the part of the Capton Government to impose regulations on the sale of opium, which are considered to be an infringement of existing

The earlier stages of this subject are con-

tained in last, year's report. Several telegrams have passed between the Chamber and H.B.M.'s Minister at Peking and every possible step has been taken towards the protection of the interests of the British opium merchants, but the matter is not yet satisfactorily settled.

ARBITRATIONS AND SURVEYS ON PIECE.

Certain correspondence has passed between the Chamber and the Bradford Chamber con cerning some dissatisfaction with the finding of arbitrators and surveyors in the East upon references dealing with alleged inferiority in the quality of worsted, woollen and cotton goods

The matter had the careful consideration of your committee.

CURRENCY QUESTION,

No annual report could be considered complete without some reference to our." Hardy A communication has been received from the

Tientsin Chamber in which this Chamber was invited to join issue with the Tientsin, Shang hai, Hankow, Tsintau, Newchwang, London and Manchester Chambers in an attempt to secure some improvement in the situation,

Your committee signified their readiness to take part in any such concerted action and are at present awaiting a communication as to what form such action shall take,

OBSERVATION STATION AT LAICHIKOK. Your committee approved of the amended regulations under section .23 of the Morchan

shipping Ordinance, No. 10 of 1938, This is a satisactory result of correspondence which passed between the Government and the Chamber during 1908.

SPURIOUS INDIAN YARN,

The Chamber was approached by the Singapore Chamber with reference to alleged spurious making and labelling of Indian yarns, Upon inquiry it was found that there malpractices did not obtain in the Hongkong mar-

JAPAN-BRITISH EXHIBITION, 1910.

Considerable correspondence has been received arent the above mentioned exhibition Your committee did not "consider that an appeal to the public would meet with sufficient

SEVENTH. CONGRESS OF-CHAMBERS OF

COMMERCE OF THE EMPIRE, 1939. It was much regretted by your committee that they were unable to arrange for a delegate to this important Congress held at Sydney in

September last, TYPHOON, SIGNAL STATION AT TSAT TSZE MUI A petition addressed to Government by masters of vessels pointing out that typhoon signals could not be seen by vessels seeking the shelter of Kowloon Bay, and requesting that : duplicate signals be hoisted on the Hill behind the No. I Dock at Kowloon, was for-

warded to the Chamber for comment. The Chamber supported the masters, and secured the co-operation of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., who offer to allow Government to erect a signal station on their hill, and are also prepared, if necessary, to work

TRADE MARKS BILL, 1909. A draft Bill entitled an Ordinance to amend the law relating to trade marks was considered by a sub-committee chosen from the general

The draft was carefully considered by the sub-committee and various amendment suggested by them. Certain of the Chamber's recommendations

bave been given effect to in the Bill as now passad. COMMITTEE, The Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewett, Mr. J. R. M. Smith, Hon. Mr. W. J. Gresson, Messes. A.

Babington, John W. Babdow, J. W. C. Bonnar,

D. R. Law, E. Shellim, H. A. Siebs and G. E.

Tomkins served on the committee throughout

The number of members on the roll is 140, consisting of so individuals and 120 firms. During the year Messrs. McGregor Bros. & THE PATENTS ANENDMENT ORDINANCE 1909, Gow, Messis, The Stockton Milling Company, This Ordinance was circulated among the and Mosers. W. S. Bailey & Co. resigned Telephone 115.

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Sons & Co. retired from business. The following firms were elected to membership in 1909 and their election requires the confirma-

tion of members at the angual meeting :-Messrs, The Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd. Messrs. The Hongkong & China shoe

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Messrs, The Vacuum Oil Company. Messes. Cruz Basto & Company. Messrs. Heuser, Eberius & Company. Mesers. The Marine Insurance Association

of Hongkong. The committee are glad to be ablelto report

that for the first tim : in four years the accounts of the Chamber show a small surplus, The strictest economy has been exercised, and substantial reductions are to be noted in

such items as "servants' wages," . " Printing advertising and stationery," " telegrams," &c. The committee consider that working expenses have now been reduced to bed-rock."

A UNANIMOUS verdict of "not guilty " was returned at the Criminal Sessions this morning in the case in which Li Fuk, alias Li Kai Ming, was indicted before Mr. Justice Comperts on charges of alleged conspiracy with one Li Loung whereby prisoner was alleged to have obtained the sum of \$10,000 from one Ma Fu Sam under a morigage deed. Sir Henry Borkely, K.C., instructed by Mr. H. L. Dannys, Crown Solicitor, appeared for the Crown and Messrs, M. W. Slade and C. G. Alabaster, instructed by Mr. H. W. Looker, of Mesars. Deacon, Looker and Descon, defended. The defendant was acquitted.

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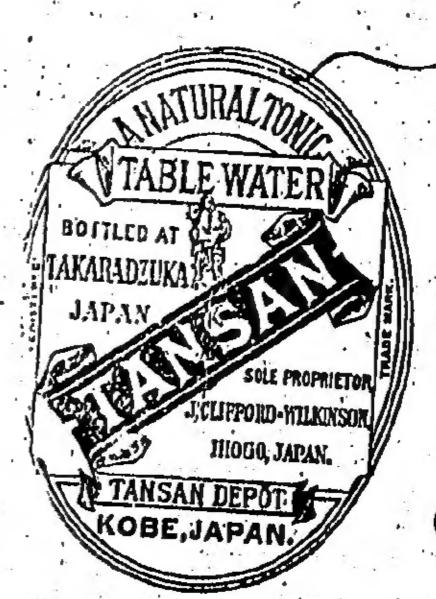
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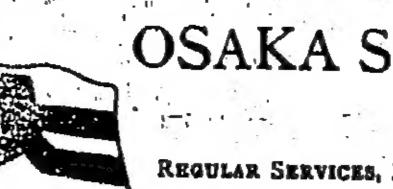
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nongkong, 26th January, 1910.

SHANGHAI "LINAN" SHANGHAI 6th MANILA CARNIVAL-5th to 14th FEBRUAR . S.S. Tean will sail hence for Manila on 1st February and S.S. Taming sails from Manila on 15th idem for Hongkong. Special reduced return fare of \$50.

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Hongkoog, 26th January, 1913

THE CHINA PROPIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE CO., LD.

ANNUAL REPORT.

Report for presentation to the shareholders at the thirteenth ordinary general meeting to be held at the office of the general managers on Saturday, 5th prox., at 11.30 o'clock.

Annexed we have the pleasure to lay before shareholders a statement of accounts made up to grat December, 1909.

The gross carnings for the past year amount to \$188,887.81 and after deducting all expenses, remuneration to general managers, consulting committee's and auditors' fees, there remains a balance of \$103,602,60 which it is recommended be appropriated as follows, viz ;--To place to reserve fund \$1,000.00 To pay a dividend of 80 cents per

share..... \$100,000.00 To carry forward to the credit of

next year's account \$2,602.60 Consulting Committee.- In accordance with the articles of association, Dr. J. W. Noble and Messrs. H. P. White and U Poi On retice, but offer themselves for re-election.

. We much regret to have to record the death of Mr. Chow Hing Kee who served on the Committee from the formation of the Company.

Auditors.-The accounts have been audited by Messrs, A O'D. Gourdin and W. H. Pot's, who are recommended for re-election.

To cover the balance of depreciation on investments amounting altogether to \$17,121.25. \$21,000.0 has been withdrawn from the reserve fund which will now stand at \$80,000.00 SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,

General Managers. Honokong, 25th January, 1010.

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ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR 1909.
- PROFIT AND LOSS.
Consulting committee's fees \$ 4,000 00
Auditors' fees
Charges
Depreciation on godown furniture "
for the year 1909 198.00
Balance of depreciation on invest-
ments account 19,271.25
Balance 103,602.60
\$134 783.72
Balance carried forward

\$ 1,407.68 from last year...... Interest received, stor-.. ages, rents, etc. \$175.045,31 Less Interest paid, com-97,431.54 9,217.50 Income from investments

3,730.00

21,000,00

Profit on sale of 4,500 14 China Light & Power Co , Ld. shares..... Amount transferred from reserve fund

\$134 783.72 DALANCE SHEET.

Authorised capital..... 200,000 shares @ \$10 \$ 3,900,000;00 Issued as per last report 125,000 shares @ \$10 each 1,250,000.00 Reserve fund..... 79.000.00 427.567.41 Sundry creditors Balance of profit and loss account . 103,632,60-\$ 1,860,170.01

Loanson providentsys tem5473,002.08 Loans on mortgages, shares, &c. 86c, 95.94 -\$1,338,898.02

Investment of reserve fund 10,000 shares Green Island Cement Co., Ld. at \$7.15 - 72,500.00 Property at West Point (Po On Godowns and

other property) 855,035.86 Less on morigage 450,000.00 -\$ 406,035.86 Godown furniture 2,000.00 Since excepded 2,098.00 .98 00 Less depreciation

Proportion of premium on unexpired policies 1,034.86 39,122,81 Sundry debtors In hand 278.46 At godown

478.46 \$1,860,170.01

THE WEATHER.

The following report is from Mr. F. G. Figg. Director of the Hongkong Observatory:-

On the 26th at 12.10 p.-The barometer has risen moderately over the Loochoos, and fallen considerably at the Bonius. The depression over the Pacific has advanced Eastwards to the neighbourhood of the latter area. Pressure has increased considerably over N.

E. Japan, and given way over China, particularly in the North. Probably a depression is approaching Manchuria from the Westward. Pressure is high to the N. of Japan and over S. Chins.

Maderate monsoon may be expected in the Fermosa Channel and strong monsoon over the Clipa Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending

at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. FORECAST. r .- Hongkong and Neighbourhood, N.E.

winds, moderate; one. 2.-Formosa Channel, same as No. 1. - South coast of China between Hongkong

and Lamocks, same as No. s. 4.-South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan, same as No. t.

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COMMERCIAL.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE.

France-Bank T.T.....224 America-Bank T.T431 Gemany - Bank T.T. Shanghai-Bank T.T.74 Singapore-Bank T.T. per H.K. \$10076

30 days' sight San Francisco & New York .. 441 4 months' sight 30 days' sight Sydney & Melbourner.ro

SHIPPING AND MAILS

MAILS DUE. German (Yorck) 27th inst. French (Armand Behic) 1st prox. Canadian (Empress of India) 3rd prox.

German (Prins Waldemar) 4th prox: The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Tean left Manila on 14th inst. and is due here on 28th inst. "The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Shuntlen left Shanghai on 25th inst., and is due here on 28th inst.

The G. N. s.s. Minnesola left Manila for this port on 25th instit and is expected here to-morrow. .. The Appar Co.'s s.s. Catherine Appar from

Calcutta left Singapore this afternoon, and may be expected here on just inst. The Imperial German Mail s.s. Goeben, which lelt nere r a 19th ult., at noon, arrived at Genoa

on 25th inst, at 4 p.m. The Apear Co.'s s.s. Arratson Apear from Yokohama and Kobe left Muji this morning and may be expected here on 31st inst.

Events Coming.

Thursday, 27th January. Diocesan School, Prize Distribution, by His Excellency the Governor. Hughes and Hough, nuction sale of Swatow Drawn Silk Work, etc. 2.30 p.m.

Friday, 28th January. Rajput Sports, U.S.R.C. Ground, Kowloon, Volunteer Ball, 9 p.m.

Saturday, 29th January. Saiyingpun School prize distribution b H.E. the Governor, 12 o'clock. V. R. C. scratch fours race, 3.30 p.m.

Hongkong Reserve Association Prize Meet-Boxing at City Hall, Billy Bellew vs. Bill

Sunday, 30th January. Lusitano Recreation Club "Go as Y Please " Competition.

Monday 31st January. Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting, at the City Hall, 4 p.m.

Tuesday, 1st February. Organ Recital, at St. John Cathedral, 5.30

Wednesday, 2nd February, O'icen's College prize distribution by His Excellency the Governor, at noon.

Friday, 4th February. Opening of new premises of the Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders of Hongkong, by His Excellency the Governor.

Saturday, 5th February. Chioa Provident Loan and Mortgage Co., Ltd., Annual Meeting, St. George's Building,

11,30. a.m. ' Hongkong Volunteer Corps, Gascoigne Shield Competition, at Tai Hang Range, 2,30

Sunday, 6th February. Lusitano Recreation Club, Walking Com-

Tuesday, 8th February. Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd., at Company's Office, Hotel Mansion.

Saturday, 12th February. Volunteers Smoking Concert, 9 p.m.

Ships Passed The Canal.

14th December-lyo Maru, Kaisow, 17th December-Armand Behic, Atsuta Maru, Austria, Oopack; Coulsdon, Hyson, Kilano, Maru, Fera. 21st December-Bloemfontien. Binclench, Indien, Dardanus, Nyansa, Pathan, P. E. Friedrick, Segovia. 24th December-Aityanax, Belgravia, Kintuck, Hitachi Maru, Kleist, Tourane Wakasa Maru. 28th Decemter-Calchas, Carmarthenshire, Ghazes, Lennox. 4th January-Alcinous, Benlawers, Java, Maria Richmers, Menelaus, - 7th January-Arm und Behie, Kanagawa Maru, Machaon. Prinz Ludwig, Sado Muru. 11th, January-Civion, I hing Wo, Deucalion, Glanavin, Verong, Spreewald, Tydeus, 14th January-China, Dacre Castle, Pyerhus, Saxonia, Silesia, Stenter, Tonkin. 18th January-Bengtoe, Flintthire, Peleus, Sikh, Sunda, Yeddo. . atst Janumy - Ernest Simons, Flintshire, Glaucus, Goo. bin, Hirano Maru, Kyang Si, Lutsow, Pelho. 26th January-Ajox, Indramayo, Miyasaka

Mars. Arrivals at Home - 14th December - Gange, Theseus. 17th December-Ambria, Glamorconshire, Iyo Maru, Meinam, P. R. Lulipold. 20th December-Somali: 21st December-Atholl, Prinzess Alice, Schnylkill. 25th December -- Antenor, Armand Behic, Kitano Maru, 18th December-Austria, Dardanus. 4th January—Astyanax. 7th January—Belgravia, Calchas. Suruga. 11th. January-Indrasamha; Kliano Maru, Monmouthshire, Paking, 1 14th January -- Bloom fontein, Mensiaus, Nament, 18th January-Berconskire, Conlidon, Print Ludwig, Sado Maru, Tonkin, 25th January-China, Descalion, Namer.

Shipping.

Syria, Br. s.s., 4,190, D. C. Gregor, R.W.R., 35th Jan.,-Yokohama via Teingtau and Shanghai 12th Jan., Gen.-P. & O. S. N.

Zweens, Br. s.s., 941, A Ramsay, 25th Jan.,-Samarang 14th Jan., Sugar,-Yuca Fat Yerimo Maru, Jap. s.s., 3,280, N. Kabayashi,

25th Jan.,-Moji 20th Jan., Coal.-O. S. K. Persia, Aust. s.s., 3,779, P. Guergevich, 26th Jan.,-Japan and Shanghai 23rd Jan., Gen.

Canchow, Br. s.s., 1,227, Monkman, 26th Jan., -Shangbai 23rd Jan , Gon .- B. & S. Halching, Br. s.s., 1,267, W. C. Passmore, 26th Jan.,-Swatow 25th Jan., Gen.-D., L. &

Choysang, Br. s.s. 1,424, M. Coutiney, 26th Jan. Canton 25th Jan., Gen.-J., M & Dagny, Nor. s.s., 883, Solvese, 26th Jan.,-

Angaard, Thoresen & Co. Carmarthenshire, Br. s.s., 3,007, Daniels, 26th Gen.-J., M. & Co. Chunsang, Br. s.s. 7,418, W. H. Sawer, 26th Jan.,-Pasu uan isth Jan., Sugar,-J., M.

Quang Yen 23rd Jan. Cement Stone -

Clearances at the Harbour Office. Vandalia, for Singapore.

Ithaka, for Wuhu. Pittanu'ck, for Swatow. Rougbon, for Saigon. Bornes, for Kudat. Haimen, for Swalow. Chinhua, for Shanghai. Fukui Maru, for Moji.

Derfflinger, for Europe. Haimun, for Swatow. Fri, for Salgon, Rourbon, for Saigon. Haldis, for Swatow. Futud Maru, for Moji. Lennox, tor Yokohama. Lyndiursi, for New York. Carl'Diederichten, for Hoibaw. Ouinta: for Canton, Sungkiang, for Iloilo. Vandalta, for New York. I itsanulak, for Swatow. Shongking, for Chinking.

Ningpr, for Saigon.

Syria, for Singapore.

Passengers Arriver. Per Kanchow, from Shanghai - Mr. and Mrs. Bona, Mr. and Mrs. Rondon, and Mr. Levilin. Per Haiching, from Coast Ports-Mr. and Mrs. Raminger, and Mr. and Mrs., Harvey. Per Syria, from Kobe for Marseilles-Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cooper, 3 children, and amah. For Eingapore-Major Norton. From Shanghai for London-Mr. A. E. Lockyer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lambden and child, Messre. J. Blair, W. G. Baker, M. Bandmann, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas, Miss Forsyth, Engr.-Cumdr. Greetham, and Mrs. Ryan, For Singapore - Misses Dundas, Lyseod, Harcourt, Mr. and Mrs. Vinot, Messrs. Lane, Nevill, McLeod, Geach, Alves, Smith, Lopes, Granby, and 7 sea native servants. For Hoogkong - Mr. Tait, Mrs. Ryan's amab, and I native servant.

Passetugora deperted.

Per Syria, for London, &c.-Surgeon and Mrs. L. A. Baiss, R.N., and infant, Messrs. H. W. Clothier, G. I. L. Stroud, Mrs. Day, Messrs. H. Pogson, J. P. White, Miss Wilson, Lieut. Franklin Rattey, Messis. R. F. Talbot, R. Wilson, R. de W. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cooper, 3 children and amah, Major Norton, Messrs. A. E. Lockyer, A. Lambden, Mrs. Lambden and child, Mrs. I. Blair, Messrs. W. G. Baker, M. Bandmans, Mr. and Mes. Dallas, Miss Forsyth, Egr. Grethum, Mrs. Ryan, Misses Dundas, Russell. Harcourt, Mr. and Mrs. Vigors, Messrs. Vane, Neville, McLend, Ceach, Alves, Smith, Lopez and Granby and 7 native servants.

Passengers expected. Per Lutique, due 9th February,-Messrs. A.

Macgowau, and Miss H, de Hase. Per Prinzess Alice, due 23rd February,-Messrs. F. Lachmann, R. W. Williamson, G. Galles, F. A. Green, Milson, S. Lanyon, Illauberger, Capt. H. S. Scott Harder, Capt, A. Northey, Mrs. C.C. Wells, Misses M. Rawson, F. H. Rawson, N. F. Rawson, R. W. Edmunds, A. Osterloh, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs A. Schellhass, Mrs. M. R. Bayley, Mrs. J. Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lipson and child, and Mrs. B. Mayor and child.

Per Kieist, due 9th March, -- Mr. and Mrs. A. Rutherford, Miss C. A. Weil, Mr. and Mrs. Faust and children, Sir and Lady Felix Simon, Mrs. E. A. Broadley, Mr. J. C. Cumstie, Miss Martin, Messrs. E. W. Strauss, Maurice, Mrs. M. A. Miller, Miss H. Ripley, and Capt. George B. Beardsley.

Shipping Raports,

Str. Syria, from Yokohama, &c.:-Fine bright weather. Str. Haiching, from Coast Ports:-Moderate

E.N E. wind fine and clear, Str. Zweens, from Samarang :- Strong monsoon and high sea from Cabra Light House."

VESSELS IN PORT.

STEAMERS. Aline, Br. s.s., 1,450, J. Martin, 2nd Jan ... Saigon 28th Doc, Ric .- Man Fat.

Amara, Br. s.s., 1,356, Mattock, 19th Jan from Samarang, Sugar. - J., M. & Co. Bellerophon, Br. s.s., 5,717. T. Bartlett, 23rd lan., -Kutchinotzu 19th Jan., Gen .- B. &

Borneo, Ger. s.s., 1,344, F. Sembill, 17th Jav. -Sandakan 11th Jan., Timber.-M. & Co. Bujun Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,311, F. Fuseno, 23rd Jan .- Shanghai 16th Jan., Gon .- O. S. K. Coblerz, Ger. s.s. 3,200, H. Rägener, 25th Jan,-Kobe 18th Jan, and Kuchinoten 21st, Mails and Gou,-M. & Co.

Empress of China, Br. s.s., 3,046, R. Archibald, R.N.R., 8th Jan.,-Vancouver, B.C. 18th Dec., 1909, and Shanghai 6th, Mails and Gen.-C. P. R. Co.

Fausang, Br. s.s., 1,410, H. S. Malkin, '25th Jan ... Canton 24th Jan .. Gen .- J., M. & Finme, Ger. s.s., 838, Wegner, 10th Jan.,-

Cebu 4th Jan., Ballast, - Barretto & Co. Heliopolis, Br. s s., 2,976, J. W Marten, 24th Jan. - Chingwangtan 19th Jan., Ballast, -G., L. & Co. Knight of the Thistie, Br. ss., 6,675, G. S.

Baker, 33rd Jan Seattle, via Victoria B.C., 19th Dec., ':9 Salmon, Flour and Timber,-D. & Co., Ld. Laisang, Br. s.s., 2,225, R. J. Tadd, 22nd Jan., -Calcuita via Penang and Singapore 16th Jan. Gen.-J., M. & Co.

Llangchow, Br. s.s., 1,215, H. Harder, 9th Jan., -Canton 8th Jan., Gen.-B. & S. Loongsang, Br. s.s., 1,093, F. Wheeler, 17th Jan .- Manila 14th Jan Hamp, Sugar and Gen-J. M. & Co.

Mongolia, Am. s.s., 8,750, H. E. Morton, 22nd Jan.,-San Francisco zist Dec., 'og, and Manila 19th Jan., Mails and Gen.-P. M.

Montengle, Br. s.s., 6,163. S. Robinson, 25th Jan .- Vancouver via Japan 29th Dec., '09, and Shanghai aind Jan., Mails and Gen. -C. P. R. Co. Newchwang, Br. s.s., 1,996, D. M. Scott, 24th Jan.,-Swatow 13rd Jan., Gen.-B & S.

Oceano, Br. s.s., 3,050, F. W. Davies, 25th Jan, -Negasaki 20th Jan., Gen.-D. & Co., Pakhoi, Br. s.s., 1,177, Gibbs, 22nd Jan.,-Centon aust Jan., Gan -- B. & S.

Petchaburi, Ger. s.s., 1,371, C. Gosowisch, 22nd Jan.,-Bangkok and Swatow 21st Jan., Gen -B. & S. Quarta, Ger. s.s., 1,146, H. Madsen, 21st Jun., -Samarang 11th Jan., Sugar and Gen.-

Samsen, Ger. s.s., 998, R. Petersen, 23rd Jan., -Bangkok 15th Jan., Rice. - B. & S. Shakano Maru, Jap. s.s., 2,064, K. Nagata, 6th Jan, - Moji 30th Dec., Coal, -Ataka & Shinano Maru, Jap. s.s., 2,230, Y. Furnkawa,

11th Jan., - Moli 31st Doc., Coal,-M. B. Jan - London and Singapore 20th Jan, Taian Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,524, K. Nasu, 21st Jan,-Keboa 16th Jan, Coal,-Wing Chong & Co. Telemachus, Br. s.s., 1,231, G. Edwards, 21st

Jan.,-Snigon 16th Jan., Gon,-Wo Fat Tenyo Maru, Jan. s.s., 7,265, E. Bent, 24th Jan .. - San Francisco 28th Dec . '00, Honolulu 3rd Jau., Yokohama 16th, Kobe 17th, Nagasaki 19th, and Shanghai 22nd, Gen. -T. K. K.

Teucer, Br. s.s., 9,017, G. W. Parkinson, 21st Jan ,- Manila 19th Jan., Gen.-B. & S. Tjilatjap, Dut. s.s., 2,470, Larooy, 19th Jan.,--Hatavia 5th Jan., and Singapore 9th, Gen. Tjiliwong, Dutch s.s., 2,000, A. Pander, 20th

Jan.,-Macassar 11th Jan., Sugar and Gen. Tomoyo Maru, Jap. 2.3., 2,581, K. Kogima, 17th Jan., - Dairen-11th Jan., Coal, --- M. B.

Triumph, Ger. s.s., 769, Jacobsen, 22nd Jan., .- Hoihow 21st Jan , Pigs and Gen, - J. & Yuensang, Br. s.s., 1,128, P. H. Rolfe, 24th Jan, -- Manila 21st Jan, Gen.-- J., M. & Zafiro, Br. s.s., 1,618, R. Rodger, 24th Jan.,-

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Manila 22nd Jan., Hemp, Sugar and Gen.

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& Marth wat migrage Park Kudat and Sandakan - Per Borneo, 27th

Saigon P Quarts, 27th Jan., 11 A.M. Shanghai-Per Choysang, 27th Jan, II A M. Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, Tacoma, Vancouver and Seattle-Per Tencer, 27th Jan.

Maran-Per Sul Tal, 27th Jan, 1.15 P.M. Shanghai-Per Chinhun, 27th Jan ; 3 P.M. Saigon-Per Kwiiyang, 27th Jan., 3 P.M. Saigon-Per Telemachus, 27th Jan., 3 P.M. Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama-Per Carmarthenshire, 27th Jan., 3 P.M. Manila-Per Knight of the Thirtle, 27th

Manila, Yap, Fr. Wilhelmshafen, Simpsonhafen, Herbertshohe, Matupl, Brisbane, Sydney, Hobart, Launceston, New Zealand, Dungdin, Melboume, Adelaide, Perth and Fremantle P . Coblens, 27th Jan., 5 P.V.

Swatow Amoy and Foochow-Per Halching, 28th Jan., Q A.W. Manila-Pe- Bellerophon, 28th Jan., 11 A.M. Shangha!, . Nagasaki, Kob., Yokohama, Hopologic and San Francisco-Per Monaolla. 28th Tan. TI A.M.

Bangkok-P - Petchaburi, 18th Jan., I P.M. Macao-Per Sul Tal, 28th Jan., 1.15 P.M. Saigon-Per Raichnen, 28th Jan., 3 P M. Mapila-Pe Tuessane, 28th Jan. 3 P. ". Shanghai -- Per Lienshing, 28th Jan .. 3 P.W. Kobe and Moll-Per Tillatjap, 28th Jan.

Swatow and Deli Per Signal, 18th Jan. Shanghal, Nagasaki, Kohe, Yokobama Victoria and Vancouyer, (B.C.) (via Siberian Mail to Europe) -Per Reservers of China, 18th

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bane, Sydney, Hobart, Launcreton, New Zealand, Melbourne, Adelaide, Dunedin, Peril and Fremantie-Per Talyman, 1st Feb., 3 P.V. Singapore, Penang and Colombo - Per Aki Marn. 1st Feb., 5 P.M. Shanghai, Kobe and Moji-Per Japan, 200 Fob., 11 A.M.

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BTOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALUE	PAID U		AT WORKING ACCOUNT.	LAST DIVIDEND	APPROXIMAT RETURN AT PROSENT QUOTATION BASED ON EAR! YEAR'S DIV.	CI. TSING QUUTATIONS
Banks. Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation	170,000	\$125	\$t25	\$1,500,000 \$15,10,000	\$2,001,829		4 %	(\$1,000 sellers London £92,10/
National Bank of China, Limited	99,925	7.47	· £6.	\$350,000 } £4,000 \$3 0,000 j	\$30,552	\$1(London 1/6) for 1903	27	\$68 bayers
Canton Insurance Office, Limited	10,000	\$250	. \$ 50	\$1,500,000 \$254,38; \$202,79	none	\$10 for 1908	7 %	Sx45 sales
North China Insurance Company, Line	10,000	£15	£s	Tis. 22;,000 Tis. 335,253 Tis. 146,585	Tis. 207,573	Final of 7/6 making 15/- for 1908	100	Tls. 113 bayers
Union Insurance Society of Canton	12,400	\$250	\$100	\$1,000,000 \$97,000 £132,148 £105,249	52.464 ₁ 902	Final of \$17 making \$47 for 1907 and }	5 1 %	Soro sellera
Yaugteze Insurance Association, Limited	12 ₁ 00σ	Stoo	Sõo	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$294,405 \$199,264	17 7 017	\$11 and bonus \$3 for 1907	7 %	\$230 buyers
China Fire Insurance Company,	70,000 8,000	\$100	\$20 \$50	\$1,000,000 \$438,668 \$138,601	\$375,341	So and bonns S2 for 1907	141	Sra8 sellors
SHIPPING. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited	30,000	S 25	\$25	\$1,43 ,173 \$7,000 \$330,660}	1368,711	\$2) for 1907	71 %	\$367 sellers \$8 sellers
Douglas Steamship Company, Limited Hongkong, Canton & Ascao Steamboat Co., Ld	80,000	212	\$15 \$15	\$100, 8, 5 \$1250,000 \$617,500	Szz,tyo	Interim of \$12 for account 1909	140	S32 sellers
Indo China Steam Navigation Co., Ld. (Preferred) Do. Do. (Deferred)	60,000 60,000	£5_	£s	\$119,267 \$22,645 £10,000 £240,000	£13,755	56/- for 1907 on Preference shares only @ ex 1/9 11/16=\$3, 154		\$62
"Shell" Transport and Trading Company, Limited "Star" Ferry Company, Limited	10,000 } 10,000 }	\$10 012"	£1 \$10 \$5	£720,000 £100,000 \$65,000 \$48,983	£62,817	First of 2/- for 1908 and interim of 1/- for 1/- for 1/- for 1/- for 1909	4. 7	67/1 \$26 buyers
REFINERIES. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited	20,000	Sioa	\$100	\$ \$350 000 P	Sgirar			\$14}
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Mining. Chlosse Engineering and Mining Company, Ld		£i .	۲ï	{ £275,000 }	Tis, 6 : 02	Final of 1/6 making: 3/- for 1909		Tla. 17) buyers
Headwaters Mining Company	63,000 150,000 50,000	£10	13/10	1000 £4 71	De, Lage	No. 11 of 1/- = 18 cents		Ps: ro So sellers
DOCKS, WHARVES & GODOWNS. Fenwick (Geo.) & Co., Limited	18,000	\$25	S25 °	\$ 18,086	Dr. \$7,421	\$1.75 for year ending 31.12.06 '	tras to	\$10
Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company, Ld.	50,000	\$55	550	\$26,806 \$40,000 \$88,441 \$22,000	Sgo,tos	None	***	Sốz sellers .
Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ld	55,700 1		\$50 Tis. 100	Tis. 69; 1257 Tis. 50, 00	\$345,262 Tis, 6,261	Interim of Sig for account 1909		S54 buyers Tls. 83 buyers
LANDS, HOTELS & BUILDINGS.	36,000	Cls. 1 -	Tis. 100	[Tis. 135,0.0]	Tls. 22,818	Final of Tis. 6 making Tis. to for 1908	7 .%	Tis. 1281 b.
Auglo-French Land Investment Co., Ld 6	. 50,123	. ls. e _ '. Sa 5	Tis. 100 \$15	Tis. \$5,000	Tis. 4,134 \$24,644	I A MALA A A SAN MAN AN GOVERN OUT THIS TIES INVESTIG	st X	Tis. 106 sales \$16 buyers ,\$80 buyers
Hougkong Hotel Company, Limited	8,000 50,000	\$5.2 \$1.2	\$25 } \$25 } \$10'	\$648,976} \$34,088} \$150,000 \$222,174}	\$19,272 \$26,475	Interim of \$2.40 on old and 40 cents on } Interim of 31 for account 1909 . 60 cents for 1908	61 X	\$102 buyers \$8 sollers
Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited Shanghai Land Investment Company, Limited	78,000	\$£ \$50	\$30 [is, 50 .	10000 Tis: 1,503,045}	\$5,486 \$278	Sti for 1908	5 %	\$27\ buyers Tls. 217\ s.
West Point Building Company, Limited	12,500	S50	\$50	1 Tis, \$00,000 }	Tis, 142,404 \$1,968	Interim of \$2 for account 1909	81 %	\$44 buyers
Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ld Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dycing } Company, Limited	125,000	1\$10	lis, 5 Sx	Tis. 40,098	is, 20,992 59,552	Th. 11 for year ending 31.10.09	81 %	Tis. 133 sales Só sales
International Cotton Manufacturing Company, Ld Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. Sey Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	10,000 T 8,000 T 2,000 I	1	lis. 75. lis. r lis. g.o	Tis. 175,000	Tis, 8,372	Th. 71 for year coding 30.9.06	•••	Tis. 63 Tis. 97
MISCELLANEOUS, Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	8,604	11/6			Tis. 15,911	12 % bez spate tot 1808	Ē.	Tis. 400
China Borneo Company, Limited China Light and Power Company, Limited Do. Do. special shares China Provident Loan & Mortgage Company, Ld.	50,000 } *,0,000 }	\$10 \$10 \$12	210 210 213 13/9	£1,500 \$40,000 none	561,138	50 cents for year ended 28.2.06	10. %	\$12 \$6 buyers
Green Island Company, Limited	40,000 400 000	. 571 Sto	\$1. \$6	\$100,100 \$1,000 \$,000	\$1,89 1	St. o for year ending 31,7.09	812.	Sof sales Sidf buyers
Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	60,000	Sto.	Sto Sto	\$13,000 \$5,000	\$3,756 \$670 \$5195	Stad bonus 20 cts. for year ending 29,2.09	* **	\$7. to buyers \$12 \$20 sollors
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000 60.000 25,000	\$25 \$10	\$10 \$10	3750,000 \$20,000 Tis. 547,500	\$7616 \$8790 Tis. 316,682	Interim of \$2 for account 1909	10 %	\$175 sales \$226 sales
Peak Tramways Company, Limited Peak Tramways Company (new) Philippine Company, Limited	25,000 50,000 75,000	\$10 \$10 \$10	\$10 \$10 \$100	\$20,000	S.,204 Ps. 18,640	85 conts on fully paid shares and 8 cents on 1		Tis. 1,020 {\$13} \$1.40
Shanghai-Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited			\$20 [15, 20	Tis, 14,810 }	Tis. 5,250	Final Tre. 5 making Tis. 8 for 1908	4 1 X	\$10 buyers Tis, 143
South China Morning Post, Limited	6,000 20,000 50,000	\$15 \$25 \$10	\$25 \$5	none	Dr. \$56,602 \$63 \$172	None 40 cehts for year ending 31.5.09	7 %	5231 buyers \$42
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	90,000	\$10 \$10 \$1:3	\$10	\$46,000 \$300,000 }	\$342 \$2,613	60 cents for year ending 31.12.09	61 X	\$10 \$12\ buyers
William Powell, Limited	15,000	\$7	\$1 \$7	5,000 3	\$782	Final of 30 cents for 1908		53 seliers
Allagar Rubber Estates	20,000	2/2	2!-	none	none	None	101	5/- buyers 19/-
Golconda Mulay Rubber Co. Highland & Lowland Para, Rubber Co. (fully paid).	32,650 110,000 80,000 181,454	Li Li	510	57,400 none none	\$11, 05 none £2,120 none	45 % interim for 1909	991 991 991	\$871 buyers 80/- 121/6
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Ledbury Rubber Estates, Limited	6 000 40,000 20,000	£1.	£1 7/6	none none	none none	Nos Nos		nominal 60/- 35/6
Sandycroft Rubber Company Sekong Rubber Company, Limited Shelford Rubber Katata Limited Singapore & Johann Rubber Company, Limited	50,000 80,000 65,000	\$100 \$100	\$2 17/6	20,000 none none	\$1,275 none £836	None	100 100 100,	120/- \$23 sales 12/6 42/6
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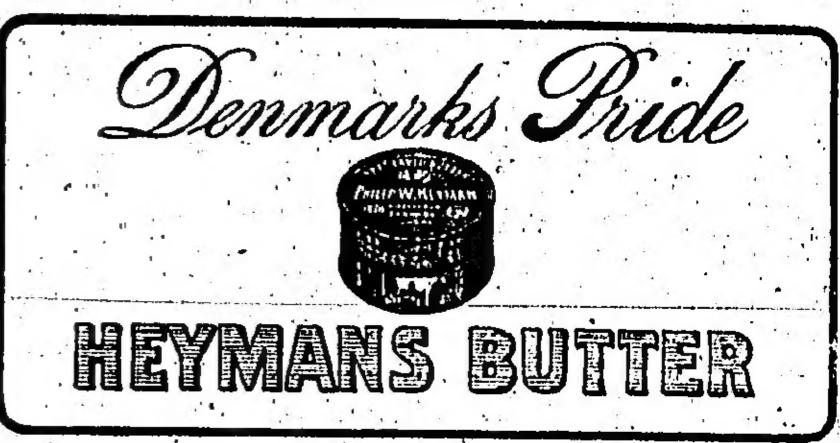


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